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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re Application of:)
SHINICHI KAWATE ET AL.) : Examiner: M. Santiago
Application No.: 10/661,627) : Group Art Unit: 2879
Filed: September 15, 2003) :
For: METHODS OF PRODUCING)
ELECTRON EMITTING DEVICE) :
USING CARBON FIBER, ELECTRON)
SOURCE AND IMAGE FORMING) :
APPARATUS, AND INK FOR)
PRODUCING CARBON FIBER) : November 30, 2004

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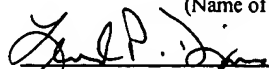
Sir:

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The listed documents were first cited in any foreign counterpart application not more than three months before the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement. In particular, the listed documents were cited in a Japanese Examiner's Official Letter (copy enclosed with English translation thereof), which issued from a foreign counterpart application.

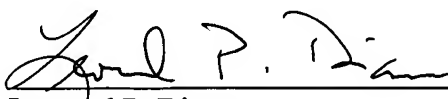
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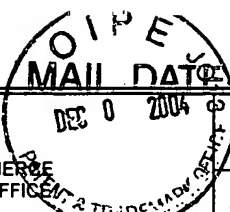
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